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DATE MAILED:

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION
Filing Date Granted

An Application Number and Filing Date have been assigned to this application. The items indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a). If any of items 1 or 3 through 5 are indicated as missing, the SURCHARGE set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65.00 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, or \$130.00 for a non-small entity, must also be timely submitted in reply to this NOTICE to avoid abandonment.

If all required items on this form are filed within the period set above, the total amount owed by applicant as a small entity (statement filed) non-small entity is \$ 2792.

1. The statutory basic filing fee is:

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insufficient.
Applicant must submit \$ 760 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).

2. The following additional claims fees are due:

\$ 1220 for 68 total claims over 20. 02/17/2000 SLUANG 00000078 09392842
\$ 78 for 1 independent claims over 30. 01 FC:202 39.00 OP
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Applicant must either submit the additional claim fees or cancel additional claims for which fees are due \$0.00 OP.

3. The oath or declaration:

is missing or unsigned.

does not cover the newly submitted items.
An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, including residence information and identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date is required.

4. The signature(s) to the oath or declaration is/are by a person other than inventor or person qualified under 37 CFR 1.42, 1.43 or 1.47.

A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.

5. The signature of the following joint-inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration:

An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63 listing the names of all inventors and signed by the omitted inventor(s), identifying this application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.

6. A \$50.00 processing fee is required since your check was returned without payment (37 CFR 1.21(m)).

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7. Your filing receipt was mailed in error because your check was returned without payment.

8. The application was filed in a language other than English.

Applicant must file a verified English translation of the application, the \$130.00 set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(k), unless previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).

9. OTHER:

Direct the reply and any questions about this notice to "Attention: Box Missing Parts."

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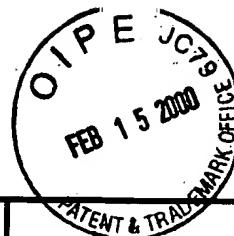
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STATEMENT CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS
(37 CFR 1.9(f) & 1.27(c))-- SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN

Attorney Docket No. SUR-008
(873/13)

Applicant, Patentee, or Identifier: Sawan et al.
Application or Patent No.: 09/392,842
Filed or Issued: September 9, 1999
Title: Topical Dermal Antimicrobial Compositions, Methods for Generating Same, and Monitoring Methods Utilizing Same

I hereby state that I am

- the owner of the small business concern identified below;
 an official of the small business concern empowered to act on behalf of the concern identified below;

NAME OF SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN: Surfacine Development Company, LLC

ADDRESS OF SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN: One Industrial Way, Tyngsboro MA 01879

I hereby state that the above identified small business concern qualifies as a small business concern as defined in 37 CFR 1.9(d) and 13 CFR Part 121 for purposes of paying reduced fees to the United States Patent and Trademark Office, in that the number of employees of the concern, including those of its affiliates, does not exceed 500 persons. For purposes of this statement, (1) the number of employees of the business concern is the average over the previous fiscal year of the concern of the persons employed on a full-time, part-time, or temporary basis during each of the pay periods of the fiscal year, and (2) concerns are affiliates of each other when either, directly or indirectly, one concern controls or has the power to control the other, or a third party or parties controls or has the power to control both.

I hereby state that rights under contract or law have been conveyed to and remain with the small business concern identified above with regard to the invention described in:

- the specification filed herewith with title as listed above.
 the application identified above.
 the patent identified above.

If the rights held by the above identified small business concern are not exclusive, each individual, concern, or organization having rights in the invention must file separate statements as to their status as small entities, and no rights to the invention are held by any person, other than the inventor, who would not qualify as an independent inventor under 37 CFR 1.9(c) if that person made the invention, or by any concern which would not qualify as a small business concern under 37 CFR 1.9(d), or a nonprofit organization under 37 CFR 1.9(e).

Each person, concern, or organization having any rights in the invention is listed below:
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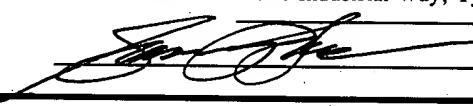
Separate statements are required from each named person, concern or organization having rights to the invention stating their status as small entities. (37 CFR 1.27).

I acknowledge the duty to file, in this application or patent, notification of any change in status resulting in loss of entitlement to small entity status prior to paying, or at the time of paying, the earliest of the issue fee or any maintenance fee due after the date on which status as a small entity is no longer appropriate. (37 CFR 1.28(b)).

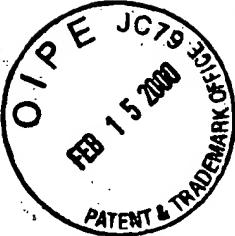
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PATENT
Attorney Docket No. SUR-008

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APPLICANT(S): Sawan et al.
SERIAL NO.: 09/392,842 GROUP NO.: 1616
FILING DATE: September 9, 1999 EXAMINER: Not yet assigned
TITLE: Topical Dermal Antimicrobial Compositions, Methods for Generating Same, and Monitoring Methods Utilizing Same

CERTIFICATE OF FIRST CLASS MAILING UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.8

I hereby certify that this correspondence, and any document(s) referred to as enclosed herein, is/are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231, Attention: Box Missing Parts, on this 10th day of February, 2000.


Sarah J. Blackwell

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Sir:

Submitted herewith is/are:

Certificate of First Class Mailing (1 pg.); Transmittal Form (1 pg.); Fee Transmittal (1 pg.); Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (PTO-1533) (1 pg.); Declaration and Power of Attorney (4 pgs.); Statement Claiming Small Entity Status (37 CFR 1.9(f) & 1.27)—Small Business Concern (1 pg.); Petition of Extension of Time Under 37 CFR 1.136(a) (1 pg.) (Two Month Extension of Time); Check in the amount of \$1,286.00; and postcard.

TRANSMITTAL FORM

Application Serial Number	09/392,842
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ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)

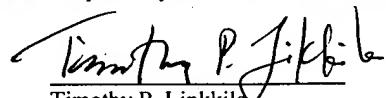
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FEE TRANSMITTAL

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2. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit or charge any fee indicated below to Deposit Account No. 20-0531.

Required Fees (copy of this sheet enclosed).
 Additional fee required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17.
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3. ADDITIONAL FEES

FEE CALCULATION

1. FILING FEE

2. AMENDMENT CLAIM FEES

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